

Amendments to the Specification:

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ABSTRACT

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A galvanizing device has at least one jet cell with a contact zone located after the jet cell in the direction of transportation of a work piece through the jet cell. At least one partition separates the jet cell from the contact zone. A seal surrounds the workpiece and is situated at an outlet of the jet cell. A pre-baffle surrounds the outlet and acts as a mount for the seal.